

The Oxford County Citizen

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1908.

\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR PROHIBITION.

Fernald Elected by About 8000 Plurality.

Four Republican Congressmen and Good Republican Majority in Senate and House.

After the hardest fought fight ever made in the State of Maine, with the greatest vote getting issue that the Democratic party have ever operated on, they went down to defeat last Monday with 8,000 votes to the bad, which leaves them in practically the same condition as at the end of the first great fight on the same issue two years ago.

The result is indeed a victory for prohibition and temperance in the State of Maine, and though the Republican plurality is far below former pluralities it cannot be claimed a Democratic victory, nor a victory for recombination and license, because when the first campaign was fought on this issue two years ago it resulted in a sitting out from the Republican party men who were in sympathy with the license movement and recording them in the Democratic ranks, the result of which was the reducing of the Republican party to the 8,000 mark.

The result this year shows that the sitting was practically done two years ago and that those who stood with the Democratic party for temperance and prohibition then, stand there still to such a remarkable degree, that the vote is almost precisely as it was two years ago.

In addition to the general result the Republicans have won back to the fold Cumberland County electing the entire County ticket and nearly all of the representatives. The same has been done in Kennebec County, while the Democratic party has been cut almost in the middle in Androscoggin County.

The four representatives to Congress have been elected with the usual safe plurality and the Senate and House will both be Republican by a good working majority.

Oxford County stands in its usual place with over 1,600 Republican votes to the good. The vote in the County for Governor is as follows:



Hon. B. M. Fernald.

THE SHERIFFS.
The Democrats Loss in Some Places and Gain in Others.

The following is the list of sheriffs elected:

York, Charles O. Emery, (Dem.)
Cumberland, Melville W. Trefethen, (Rep.)

Androscoggin, "D. R. Hastings, (Dem.)

Franklin, "Dana C. Coolidge, (Rep.)
Knox, "Adelbert J. Tolman, (Dem.)

Lincoln, "John B. Bafter, (Dem.)
Oxford, "Hiram B. Hubbard, (Rep.)

Sagadahoc, "John W. Ballou, (Rep.)
Hancock, "Forrest O. Silsby, (Rep.)

Kennebec, "Colby Getchell, (Rep.)
Somerset, "John A. Moore, (Dem.)

Waldo, "Amos F. Carleton, (Rep.)
Arroostook, "Fred A. Thurlough, (Rep.)

Penobscot, "T. Herbert White, (Dem.)
Piscataquis, "James W. Knowles, (Rep.)

Washington, "Jefferson M. Swift, (Dem.)
"He elected.

MAINE CITIES.
Republicans Again Part of Those Lost Two Years Ago.

The two parties divided honors in the 20 cities of the State, each capturing 10, although in the total vote the Democrats had the best of it by 1,300.

Two years ago they had a lead of 4,907 which gives the Republican gain in the cities of 3,631 over two years ago.

Then they carried 10 out of the 20, only Eastport, Calais, Hallowell and Gardiner staying in the Republican column.

In the election Monday the Republicans regained Portland as well as Augusta, Belfast, Ellsworth and South Portland.

The Democrats held onto the others and increased their pluralities in Bangor, Biddeford, Brewer, Old Town and Rockland.

The result in the 20 cities:

Fernald Gains

Ansonia, 1377 1381
Augusta, 1358 1173

Bangor, 1477 9441
Bath, 730 809

Belfast, 722 872
Biddeford, 844 1346

Brewer, 349 491
Calais, 623 480

Eastport, 422 281
Ellsworth, 591 299

Gardiner, 761 444
Hallowell, 341 218

Leicester, 1348 3247
Old Town, 378 384

Portland, 2642 4916
Rockland, 664 923

Sebec, 861 729
South Portland, 746 473

Waterville, 815 1234
Westbrook, 788 314

Total, 26,000 22,316

Opposed.

Bethel—I once tried to lose a pretty girl in a house.

Bethel—Did you get a new dress?

Bethel—No, never—Chicago Daily

RUMFORD RECEIVES WORKS OF ART.

Presented by Hugh J. Chisholm

To Catholic Church and Public Library.

For the first time last Sunday the attendants of the Catholic churches of this town were privileged to look upon two valuable paintings which were bought in Rome and presented by Hon. Hugh J. Chisholm. The pictures are about 8x4 feet and are in very beautiful colorings. The subject of the one at St. Athanasius church is "Christ Commands," it being a life like picture of the Saviour holding the book of law in one hand and a sceptre in the other. The other picture which was given to the Church of St. John is a madonna and had the title inscribed upon it in Latin being "Mater Salvatoris."

These works of art were copied from mosaics in the Vatican by Salvatore Nobili one of the teachers of art at Rome.

The paintings are embossed in heavy gilt frames and add a great deal to the beauty of the church interiors. They are valued at about \$1,500.

The churches are not alone in receiving art gifts for the public library has recently been presented with several of different nature from the same donor.

These include two busts in Parian marble on large pedestals of Italian marble. The busts are representations of Homer and the Goddess Minerva.

There are also four large portraits of Raphael, Rembrandt, Dante, and Van Dyke together with a large photograph several feet long of the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel in the Vatican.

RECEPTION

Given by Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Ourlis to the Students of Gould's Academy.

Gould's Chapel, in Bethel, was the scene of a very pretty and pleasing reception given last Friday evening by Rev. and Mrs. William C. Ourlis of the Bethel Congregational church to the students of Gould's Academy and other young people of the town.

The chapel was taxed to its fullest capacity and all seemed to enjoy the evening with its variable exercises.

After the company had been received and made welcome and the usual period for social intercourse had passed the grand march led by Mr. Edwards and Miss Wood was enjoyed, following which an interesting and agreeable program consisting of vocal solos by Mrs. Wright and Miss Florence Merrell, readings by Miss Wood, Mrs. E. C. Van den Kerkhof, Dr. Gehring and Prof. Hanson were enjoyed.

The evening concluded with character in which all engaged heartily. The program was under the management of Mrs. Gehring, who kept every minute filled with interest and pleasure and who failed not, as usual, to keep a happy spirit in evidence throughout the evening.

CONGRESSMAN SWASEY GIVEN GREAT OVATION

At His Home in Canton, Tuesday Evening.

A special train carrying a host of people from Rumford ran to Canton Tuesday evening where public homage was paid to Hon. John P. Swasey the newly elected congressman. A great many of the prominent men of the town together with the ladies attended the affair.

Shortly after the arrival of the train at Canton station a torchlight procession was formed, headed by the Rumford band. It was very well as great a display for Mr. Swasey to see that he was the people's choice and that they were proud of his success.

A TOWN OF PROMINENCE TO BE

In reference to the proposed Technical school that we mentioned last week as a prospective thing for Rumford we may say that the news of such a plan was printed in the Philadelphia Record, and created so much interest that letters have been received in town from those asking about the matter. Mr. O. J. Geary was in receipt of such a letter from Edwin C. Crippen, agent for the Rumford Springs Company. Mr. Crippen thought such a move on the part of Mr. Chisholm would mean great prominence for the town through the country.

With beautiful weather above and ever condition in perfect harmony, the big gates were opened Tuesday morning and Oxford County Agricultural Fair started upon its sixty-sixth annual crusade.

The following officers receive congratulations upon the successful exhibition now in progress: Pres., Wm. J. Wheeler, Vice Pres., L. E. McIntire, Sec. and Treas., W. O. Frothingham, Trustees: J. W. Libby, E. W. Penley, C. F. Millett, H. P. Andrews, T. P. Richardson.

Crowds, well I should say so, it seemed as though the good country folks were just fair crazy. They came by team, automobiles, bicycles, electric and steam cars until the grounds were just packed close.

Never in the history of this association have the fairs congregated in such large numbers as they did this year. Every foot of space was taken, yet more crowded in spare corners and crannies.

L. B. Walker of Boston takes the largest space, offering two "wild men" shows besides a regular mid-way entertainment. The Philippine village occupies considerable ground, a "Florida Zoo" made up of monkeys, reptiles, wolf and many interesting things is drawing well. The only Lindwood Flint, the owner of the Lindwood Porcupine Farm and billed as the "Wild Animal man" has a neat and attractive natural history exhibit, including ten cages of wild beasts, horned toads, rare fishes and many living objects well worth seeing. Mr. Flint handles all of these freely and lectures upon their habits and characteristics.

Pin games, ball throwing, photo galleries, slide shows of every kind and description, soft drink and lunch booths, genuine cafes and canteens people gather to spend their afternoon for these willing to spend their afternoon.

The local church societies are doing a rushing business in their several di-

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OXFORD COUNTY FAIR THIS WEEK.

A Big Show is The 66th Annual.

Fast Races—Good Ball Games, Big Crowds.

Mr. Virgil A. Linnell, the contractor and builder, who has recently taken the shop and mill formerly occupied by W. I. White and Company at the head of Congress street, Rumford is one of the earliest builders to come to the Falls when the boom struck the place, and has been in active service and one of the best citizens from then till now.

For several years he was employed as foreman for other contractors, but

in 1895 began doing business for himself, and since has been engaged upon some of the best dwelling houses in town. Among the residences that he has built are those belonging to and occupied by Philip B. Clark, G. A. Peabody, Dr. B. W. Trask, Rufus Virgin and Colon Mann.

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Mr. Linnell for several years had the carpenter shop and store house on Prospect Ave. near Hamlet's carriage shop. Last spring after the W. I. White Company shop and mill were vacated Mr. Linnell moved into the place with his stock and tools and has since been conducting his business there, and also carrying on the wood working trade, as did the White Company. Since making this change Mr. Linnell has greatly increased his business and facilities for doing it, and in fact has the best equipped shop in town. In 1905 Mr. Linnell served the corporation as an assessor and has declined to serve in other positions.

Mr. Linnell is one of the most courteous men in business in Rumford, and has a reputation for honorable dealing that is borne out by his record here. Anyone desiring any work in his line will do a wise thing to see him before entering into any contract.

SOME CHANGES IN CORPORATION BY LAWS.

The revision committee on village by laws reported at the last Corporation meeting in Rumford.

There were some additional sections and some minor changes in wording. The only changes that affect any considerable number of persons, is that which restricts the speed of automobiles to eight hours on the island and that portion of Franklin street between the pumping station and Bridge St.

Dr. Nils and W. B. Britten took exception to the regulation, but it was accepted.

That section relating to erection of buildings within the business section of Rumford, is changed so that no building shall be built that does not have a brick wall at least eight inches thick.

There is a provision that demands all frames for use as public conveyances be inspected and licensed.

An article is introduced prohibiting spitting on public sidewalks and streets, or audience room.

The milk inspecting act, adopted at the annual town meeting is incorporated.

The Water Company has bought the Rumford system, and that will be connected with the pipes of the new age.

VIRGIL A. LINNELL OF RUMFORD,

Contractor and Builder in New Quarters.

Has Increased Business and Opportunities.

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WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—A line 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks, 50c.

POST CARD COLLECTORS SEND ten cents and we will mail you 15 beautiful colored post cards, different subjects, carefully selected.

Art Publishing Co., 101 South 11th St., Philadelphia, 6-11.

SEWING WANTED—Shirt, waist suit and plain sewing—R. pairing of all kinds. MRS. DIXON, room 1, Walker Block, Rumford Falls.

FOR SALE. Two houses at Smith's Crossing, one 3 large rooms, all finished, stable, good cellar, best of water, level lawn, cement walk. One 6 rooms finished below, shed and stable, corner lot. Owner says must be sold. Make an offer.

H. L. WOOD, Rumford, Me.

WANTED. Copies of the Bethel News of following dates:—June 6, July 11, 15, Aug. 15, 22, Sept. 19, Nov. 7, 14, 21, Dec. 12 of 1906; also March 27, April 3, May 23, June 12, July 17, of 1907. Please bring or send to the CITIZEN office. Good prices will be paid for these numbers.

8-3 t f.

WANTED. To exchange a Stanley runabout for a team. ADDRESS A. J. MARBLE, Rumford Point, Me.

0-10 t f.

FOR SALE. A flock of twenty sheep including a good buck. They are fine sheep. Inquire of MARTHA A. BARTLETT, Hanover, Maine.

0-10 t f.

FOR SALE. Two seated canopy top surrey for sale. Also two seated sleigh. MARTHA A. BARTLETT, Hanover, Maine.

0-10 t f.

FOR SALE. FORD AUTOMOBILE. Light Touring Car in as fine running condition as when it was new. Will sell at a very low price. If you want to buy call and let me give you a ride in as nice running car as is in Oxford County.

W. C. STEVENS, Hotel Rumford, Rumford, Me.

0-10 t f.

FOR SALE—Full blood Mammoth White Pekin ducks, best strain, per pair three dollars. ADDRESS Miss Grace A. Hastings, Newry Cor. Me.

0-17 t f.

DAVIDS PLANNER for sale cheap. I. W. Andrews & Sons, West Park, Me.

0-10 t f.

BACK NUMBERS OF THE BETHEL News wanted as follows: Vol. IV, No. 27, Nov. 30, 1893; Vol. V, No. 11, Aug. 2, 1894; Vol. VI, No. 3, June 18, 1895; Vol. VII, No. 26, Nov. 19, 1896; No. 28, Dec. 5, 1896; No. 33, Jan. 27, 1897 up to and including No. 44, May 25, 1897; Vol. IX, No. 3, June 3, up to and including No. 23, Oct. 23, 1898; No. 26, Nov. 13, 1898; Vol. X, No. 14, Aug. 24, 1899; No. 15, Aug. 31, 1899; No. 24, Nov. 2, 1899 up to and including No. 28, Dec. 1, 1899. Any one having any of the above numbers which they are willing to dispose of please communicate with the Editor or bring to the CITIZEN office.

WANTED—Broken Fox Hounds and broken Rabbit Hounds. Give height, age, color, with prices, no fancy prices. MASON, Mechanic Falls, Me. 0-17 t f.

FOR SALE—One Hebeur Little Giant Thrasher. Used but very little during one season. C. L. Davis, Bethel, Me. 0-17 t f.

WANT TO SWAP—Through this column several second hand automobiles have been sold or exchanged during the past few weeks. We have a runabout or a touring car now, which we trade for other auto or a team or for almost anything else that's good. Address The CITIZEN, Bethel, Me.

WANTED—Old for chamber work.

Albany	61	53
Andover	100	50
Bethel	262	174
Bryon	20	13
Calais	21	31
Carleton	6	1
Greenwood	23	90
Hallowell	33	17
Hartford	104	71
Holmes	103	94
Kennebec	207	121
Knox	20	36
Oxford	106	106
Paris	519	264
Port	26	26
Sebec	26	16
Sumner	200	100
Swanton	61	27
Union	111	106
Upton	13	11
Waterville	20	100
Westbrook	124	60
Windsor	122	60
York	137	117
Cumulative	126	66
Danville	75	25
Dixfield	122	20
Frederick	100	100
Hamlin	121	126
Leicester	145	96
Monroe	8	4
Norway	333	234
Porter	172	46
Rockland	22	22
Windsor	2	17
Total	4,425	3,816

TRUTH IN A NOTENELL.

Have you anything to sell or swap do you want to buy a farm, get a job or had a wife? If so just put a line in the CITIZEN Want Column. You'll hear from it.

School Supplies

E. Bosserman,
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Bethel, Maine.

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all NOT make any more "Pings"
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able me to adjust quickly to the most deli-
cate and properly fitted lenses. Con-
sultations free.
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BETHEL, MAINE.

Moccasin, Housewear
Felt Shoes, Women's Tall
Dress Shoes, Men's High Shoes,
\$4.00, Men's Walkabout Dress
Shoes, Men's, Women's,
Children's Rubber Boots, Men's,
Women's, Children's Rubber
Leather Shoes, Randall has
the Rubber.
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BETHEL, ME.
Main Street, Bethel, Maine.

WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as Told
By Our Special Reporter.

Miss D. Hall of Groveton, N. H., visited her sister, Miss Esther Hall, who is at work at the post card parlors for Whitten and Denison.

Mrs. Horace Walker was sick last week and is not able to go back in the post card parlors as yet.

Susan Tyler and Francis Mills commenced going to school at Gould's Academy, Tuesday morning.

Miss Mabel Scribner and her niece Libbie Lynde Goodridge were in Bethel last Tuesday.

W. W. Goodridge was in Gorham last Tuesday.

Glen Mason has finished work for George Lutton.

A number of the farmers are hauling their corn to the corn shop.

School commenced last Tuesday with Miss Maud Russell as teacher.

George Proctor has returned to his work for the Paris Mfg. Co.

The W. B. I. Club held a bake bean supper at Mrs. M. M. O'Riley's last Tuesday evening.

John Rollins, John Summers and Ernest Morrill went to Lewiston to State Fair last Wednesday.

Miss Gwendolyn Stearns is boarding at the hotel.

Mrs. H. P. Dennison was quite sick last week.

George Smith from Bethel was in this village looking after the telephone.

Miss Nellie Coburn was quite sick last week.

The new printing press came last Thursday for the Whitten and Denison Post Card Store.

Mrs. L. E. Dean and her sister Miss Corn Mason, attended the State Fair at Lewiston the first of last week.

Allen McLeod had some very fine stock to take to the State Fair at Lewiston.

Otis Mason is at work in the corn shop at Bethel.

Michael Coyne and Thomas Greene of Bryant's Pond are putting a curbing around Mrs. Helen Tyler's lot in the cemetery.

Nina Hibbard of Shelburne, visited her uncle Everett McKee, last week.

Mrs. Eva Hanson of Portland who has been visiting relatives in Albany called on Mrs. E. J. Bell last Saturday.

Clare Cooley and Esther Whitten went to Bethel last Friday.

W. B. Walker was in Bethel last Saturday.

Millard Mason came home last Saturday.

Herbert Bros of Bethel are setting up the engine for Whitten and Denison to run their printing press.

Miss Mabel Scribner spent the day Sunday at the Poland Spring House.

Anon Kenerson has moved his family to Portland where he is in charge of a barber shop.

Bion Brown expects to work in N. R. Springer's mill at Bethel, next week.

Dean Pingree will be much missed on the meat cart but his many friends in this village wish him much success in his course at the University of Maine.

E. H. Scribner expects to go to work in the new mill at Bethel the first of next week.

Everyone went to election Monday.

WILSON'S MILLS.

Work on the State road began Monday.

Arthur Littlehale has been to Bethel.

Rev. Mr. Lownd returned to his home Monday.

Ell Stearns was in town last week buying wool.

Mrs. W. H. Hart has returned home. She has been away for some time with her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Linnell were in town Friday.

H. G. Bennett has bought his daughter, Cole, a piano.

Mrs. B. J. Olson has returned home from Etzel, where she has been visiting her daughter.

The Shurtleff party of South Paris and Portland have been staying at the Adeline House a few days.

John L. Bennett is looking for J. W. Beckman.

MARSHALL DISTRICT.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham and two little sons, visited at her father's, Mr. J. W. Cummings', Saturday.

Nearly everyone attended the Circle at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bean's Thursday afternoon and evening and report a fine time with plenty to eat.

Mrs. Myra Lownd, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Briggs and two daughters, were callers at Harry Hag's, Sunday.

Mr. William Davis of Massachusetts is visiting his friend, Anson Taylor and boarding at Mr. A. A. Bess's.

Neil McLean and son Cassie, of Gilcat, were at Geo. Briggs' Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Isaac H. Hazell has a hen which dropped an egg that measured 4 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches.

Mrs. Ella Saunders and Mrs. Flora M. Foster went to North Waterford Thursday.

GROVER HILL.

Robert Howard has finished work for Maurice Tyler.

Freeland Bennett, Albert Whitman and Geo. A. Blake attended the State Fair at Lewiston last week.

Ida Haselton is in Mason for a few days.

Arthur Browne and Evander Whitman are attending school at Gould's Academy, this term.

True Browne visited his brother, Allison, in Gilad, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spinnery have returned from a delightful trip to Annapolis Valley, Nova Scotia.

George Bennett was at Maurice F. Tyler's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman are entertaining guests.

Mrs. Freeland Bennett, who has been ill, is convalescing.

Elton Keene was the guest of Karl Stearns Thursday, before returning to his home in Poland, Saturday.

E. C. Jackson from Rumford called at N. A. Stearns' recently.

True Browne and E. C. Jackson attended the Sherbrooke Fair.

G. N. Sanborn got quite badly injured while playing base ball at East Bethel, a short time since.

ALBANY.

David Millet of Oxford visited at C. D. Conner's recently.

Mrs. L. M. Goodwin is visiting her brother, F. G. Sloan.

Lauren Lord purchased a cow last week.

Gertie Sloan is teaching school at Paris.

Mrs. Charlie Valentine visited at C. D. Conner's last Sunday.

A good time at the dance at the town house Sept. 12. Another dance at the town house Sept. 19th.

Remember the dance at the Orange Hall at East Bethel, Sept. 19th.

Roger Sloan who has been very ill is able to be out of doors.

Mrs. Etta Cummings, who is in the hospital at Lewiston is very low at this writing.

E. C. VanDenkerckhove of Bethel, was in town one day last week.

R. C. Lawrence is working for C. D. Conner.

Mrs. J. W. Cummings, who was called to Lewiston by the illness of her sister, has returned home.

A number from this vicinity attended the dance at East Bethel, the 15th.

Another dance there the 19th.

Mrs. J. L. Holt and daughter, Mrs. Irving Kimball of East Bethel, were at F. G. Sloan's last week.

There will be a dance at the Town House, Saturday evening, Sept. 12th.

Vivian Lord visited his brother, Lawrence Lord recently.

Miss Ethel Cummings was called to Auburn by the illness of her aunt, last week.

Dr. R. B. Tibbette of Bethel, was in town, Sunday.

Mrs. Viola Dunham and two sons are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cummings.

Amos L. Blais' little son, Carroll, swallowed half a bottle of lemon extract and nearly strangled to death one day last week.

Annie Cummings is staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cummings while her mother is at the hospital.

GILEAD.

Mrs. M. E. Peabody and family left town last week Tuesday for their various homes.

Mrs. Melissa Bennett from Norway spent last Saturday and Sunday with friends in town.

We are sorry to know that Mrs. Ralph I. Peabody is sick again. May she soon regain her health.

Fred Carter, wife and son from Libbet, N. H., arrived in town last Monday on a visit to his father, Ezra Carter and wife.

We regret to add Miss Edith Cole to the list of the sick among us, and hope that the illness may not be of long duration.

NEWRY.

W. F. Small is still on the sick list. Rob Kaman is working for him.

D. E. Smith has his corn all hauled to the factory. The corn was also this year.

Ralph Frost is attending school at Gould's Academy, Bethel.

Chas. Chase and family from Upton, passed through the place here last Sunday in their new auto.

Chas. Douglass and wife from Bethel, were in town, last Sunday.

NORTH LOVELL.

School commenced last Monday. The teacher, Miss Lillian Lord, boards at Marshall Evans'.

Mr. Lee Dwyer took a party of twenty three down the lake Saturday afternoon. The summer boarders are beginning to leave.

Mrs. Louisa Cutts and daughter are staying at John Mason's.

Mrs. Ida Hinton visited her friend, Mary McAllister, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lawrence visited at M. E. Allen's Friday.

Little Doris McAllister was quite ill one day last week.

Mrs. Edgar McAllister has returned home.

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In fact everything which goes to make up the Sportman's complete and up-to-date outfit.

Hastings Bros.

Bethel, Maine.

EAST BETHEL.

Mr. C. C. Kimball of Berlin, N. H., visited here over Sunday.

Mr. F. E. Hildner of South Paris, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Howe a few days this week.

Mr. Fred Cole and two friends from Washington, D. C., accompanied by Mr. Fred G. Bean of this place visited the Lakes last week.

Mrs. Nancy Mayconell has moved to Hanover to live with her brother, Mr. G. M. Kimball.

Miss Edna Bartlett, Viola Bartlett, Fred Bean and John Howe have returned to Gould's Academy.

All gladly welcome Miss Florence Killings back to the school here. She is boarding at F. B. Howe's.

LOVELL.

The corn shop has closed a good part this year.

There are quite a lot of sick ones in the village at present.

Della Lodge, E. and A. M., had a largely attended meeting Thursday evening.

Mrs. E. M. Hanson has just returned from Portland. Miss Hubbard will work for her this fall in the store.

Well, we have a band again, E. B. Harrington leader, 23 pieces. They meet twice a week for practice. We need to have a band years ago that was second to none in Oxford County. Let us have a good one this time.

N. T. Fox has been shipping plank, boards and dowels to Portland.

EAST SUMNER.

Just now this is quite a busy place at the corn packing sheds, as the corn under the present hot weather is fast maturing. On Thursday the mercury registered 94 degrees in the shade. It is getting to be very dry and dusty.

Several from the place attended the State Fair on Wednesday.

School began on Monday in charge of Miss Harlow of West Rockford.

A. H. Harlow and family, who have been spending the season at Harpswell have returned to East Sumner.

S. Robinson has been ill lately.

"Pat—Oh now in th' p'p' something about a felly that was after bet' blame. P'kwat's th' meanin' of blame, Ol' dunnit?"

"Mike—Blame do be th' fella' that comes t' a man after he gits so lary that he can't be w'ked. Ol' think in't—Chicago Daily News."

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James Deshaue, New Britain, Conn., writes: "I tried several kidney remedies, and was treated by our best physical clinic for diabetes, but did not improve until I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. After the second bottle, I started in improvement, and five bottles cured me completely. I have now passed a rigid examination for life insurance." "Foley's Kidney Remedy cures backache and all forms of kidney and bladder trouble." W. R. Houseney, Bethel, Me.; Chas. H. Fernald, Rumford, Me.

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Men's as follows: \$4.00 grade 3.50, \$3.50 grade 3.00, \$3.00 grade 2.50. Women's \$3.00 kind 2.50, \$2.50 kind for 2.00. These are all new goods and every pair a bargain. Come to our Fair on 15, 16, & 17, and when here remember that you can find all kinds of wear here at the right price. We carry the largest stock in the city and one of the largest in the State.

We also carry a full line of Trunks, Bags, and Suitcases.

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A WOMAN'S WAY.

Within a darkened room and not for one whom she may meet here, a lovely girl that she keeps, suddenly her heart with gladness leaps, she has heard his footsteps at the door. In her room she sits alone, white, clear away the traces of her tears, she has heard his footsteps at the door. In her room she sits alone, white, clear away the traces of her tears, she has heard his footsteps at the door. In her room she sits alone, white, clear away the traces of her tears, she has heard his footsteps at the door.

Force of Habit. "That did that young 'cub' reporter up before he came with us!" the managing editor, "I thought so!" "I have been writing anything but that!"

Much of the "acid cream tartar" is adulterated with alum, phosphate, terra alba, etc.
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BORN.

In Randolph, September 2, to the wife of George Chandler of Berlin, a son, weight 5 1/2 pounds.
In South Paris, Sept. 2, to the wife of Alton Curtis, a son.
In North Waterford, Sept. 2, to the wife of Sidney Hatch, a daughter.
In West Paris, to the wife of Bert Kilbreth, a daughter.

MARRIED.

In West Paris, Sept. 3, by Rev. D. H. Ford, Mr. Abel Falkland and Miss Olga Rosenberg, both of West Paris.
In South Paris, Sept. 3, by Rev. W. W. Webster, Mr. Eugene B. Davis and Miss Lettie S. Swain.
In Hebron, Sept. 3, by Rev. A. H. Crane, D. D., Mr. George Boyden of Medway, Mass., and Miss Nettie Philbeck of Hebron.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of P. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Detroit Free Press.

NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS

SOUTH PARIS.

The Mason Manufacturing Company have found it necessary to start running their factory evenings to keep up with their orders. They are also hiring extra help. Although it is probable that there are very few places which have felt the recent business depression as little as South Paris, still the general improvement in trade throughout the country is as welcome here as in other places.

Because of the poor water service and the nervousness of the citizens about fire it was decided at the last moment not to take the old "Pacific" to the State Fair. After reading the result of the contest, those who have watched the trials here, were confident that if the old tub had gone she would have been sight up with the leaders. Miss Flora Mitchell of Portland was the guest of her friend, Miss Maud Douglas, several days last week. The Swastika orchestra furnished excellent music for the entertainment and dance at Norway Opera House Tuesday evening in connection with the County Fair. Friday evening they played at Paris Hill and Saturday night they were at West Paris.

More than the usual large number took advantage of the fine weather last week and attended State Fair at Lewiston. All were pleased to see the society escape its usual rain and have a fair that was a financial success.

Clyde Hubbard left town for Lewiston Tuesday, where he will enter the freemasonry class at Bates.

Rev. I. A. Bean of Windthrop, for several years pastor of the Methodist church here, was in town a few days last week.

The Democrats in town were greatly disappointed because of the automobile accident which prevented McGillicuddy from speaking at their rally here Wednesday evening, Sept. 9th. Nevertheless the rally was held and there was a large attendance. In the absence of the chairman of the Democratic town committee, W. O. Frothingham acted as chairman of the meeting and introduced Mr. McCarthy of Hamford, the only speaker of the evening. McCarthy, although severely handicapped by the unexpected absence of McGillicuddy, presented a very able address.

Miss Flora March is clerking at T. W. Bowker's.

Carl Mason is improving the looks of his house on Church street by the addition of a new piazza.

J. Gould Spofford and wife of Hopedale, Mass., are spending a two weeks' vacation with Mr. Spofford's father.

Thursday evening the second amateur night was the special attraction at the Bijou Theatre. The following contestants made up the program: Miss Gladys Kane, reading; Ernest Higgins, black face song; Howard and Edward Chick, piano duet; Mrs. Will Jackson, reading; Miss Louise Kane, reading; Dr. E. C. Walker, comic song; Ned Cross, acrobatic performance; L. Briggs, original stump speech; Richard Walker, reading. The judges awarded first prize, which was five dollars, to Miss Gladys Kane, the youngest of the contestants and Mr. Briggs, better known as "Judge" receiver two dollars and a half for his effort.

Mr. Eliza Lane of Upton, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. I. P. Evans. Stanley Ford, former principal of the grammar school here and now a student of Bates College, was in town last week.

Orley Dyer is assisting Frank Back in his cobble shop.

Fire Wednesday destroyed a considerable quantity of pulp wood which was owned by Elroy Dean.

While hauling corn to the factory one day last week, the horses of Herbert Flood became frightened of an auto mobile which they met at the foot of Clark Hill, in this village. Mr. Flood and Peter Billings, an elderly man who was with him, were both thrown from the load and considerably shaken up, but escaped serious injuries. The horses were stepped just in time to prevent them from taking the whole load over the embankment into River Brook.

New paint has been made a further improvement to Mrs. Holter's house on Pleasant street.

Mrs. Louisa B. Strickland died at her home on Hill street in this village Sunday afternoon at the age of 81 years. Thursday evening she suffered a paralytic shock from which she never regained consciousness. She was the widow of the late Nathan P. Strickland, and the remaining members of the family are Wallace B. Strickland of this place and Roy E. Strickland of Saco.

There are now two granddaughters, Marion and Louise Sumner, who have made their home with her. The funeral was held at her late home at 10 p. m. Tuesday.

Louis W. Clark left for Orono Monday to enter the freshmen class at University of Maine. He will take a course

in electrical engineering. Crockett Record is clerking in the store of W. O. Frothingham, while Mr. Frothingham is attending to his duties as Secretary of the Oxford County Agricultural Society.

The busiest place in the village is the factory of Barham and Merrill Co. A large crew is employed and the work is being rushed. The corn is of excellent quality and the farmers are much pleased with the returns they get from their labor. Up to Monday noon the number of cans packed was 315,900. Supt. Emley expects to finish canning sometime Saturday.

Ernest Higgins is the victim of appendicitis this week. He was successfully operated on at the Central Maine Hospital, in Lewiston, Saturday.

John McArdle of Lynn, Mass., is visiting relatives and friends in this, his former home. He is in the electrical business in Lynn.

Hon. James S. Wright spoke at a political rally at West Paris, Saturday night.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Louis S. Walker of Portland administered the rite of Confirmation to a class of sixty at St. Catherine's Roman Catholic church in So. Paris last Saturday. This was the first visit of the Rt. Reverend Bishop to this place. Special music for the occasion was rendered with Mrs. J. J. Emley soloist and Miss Eva Penfold of Gorham, N. H., as organist.

A certain man in town is rapidly making enemies for himself because of his conduct toward children. When a man of mature years cannot play a game of croquet with children without becoming so enraged that he inflicts bodily injury on one of them, it is time that someone else should take a hand, and in this case it looks as though that is what will happen. This is the second time within a short period that this man has aroused the indignation of a large number by his conduct, and one or two more incidents of this kind will make this town an uncomfortable place for him to be in.

Shurtliff's store was the center of attraction Monday night to a late hour, the election returns being given out to the public. The result in the town of Paris was as follows: Fernald, Rep., 310; Gardner, Dem., 251; Swaney, Rep., 310; McGillicuddy, Dem., 232; Hubbard, Rep., 419; McIntire, Dem., 373. From these returns it appears that Paris is still the banner Republican town of the county and will have a representation of eight delegates in all conventions.

NORWAY.

Fakire drifted into town unusually early this year. Monday morning every inch of space given over to sidewalk and concession people was sold and accepted.

C. H. Adams crew of carpenters are making good headway on the Andrews' buildings. With fair weather the frame work for the first floor will be up before the end of the week.

Plumbers are making important changes in the automatic sprinkler system in E. P. Spinnay & Company's factory. The main idea is to improve and extend the excellent protection which they already have.

Arthur E. Norworthy conducted a concert Saturday evening in Robinson Hall, Oxford. The Oxford band furnished music, assisted by local talent.

No regular ball game last Saturday because a team could not be found with an open date to meet the local nine. The Norway and Paris kids however started a little smoke on the fair grounds in the afternoon. They played a pretty fair game for youngsters, Paris won 7 to 3.

Last Friday, many not well informed concluded the end of the world was near because of the smoky condition of the atmosphere. No doubt the source of this trouble can be traced to the fires of forest fires near the Great Lakes or northward over the Canadian line.

A. P. Bennett opened Central Park last Saturday evening for roller skating. The attendance proved light.

Miriam Libby is working for Benjamin Tucker on the farm. For the present he handles the village milk route satisfactorily.

John Woodman offers the Beale Hotel for sale. This house is well equipped and successfully managed, being very popular with travelling salesmen and outside because of the excellent treatment offered by Mr. Woodman.

The Shoe Factory, C. B. Cummings & Sons and the Merrill Mill are closed to allow their help a vacation on the fair grounds. Our stores are rushed with business and will have all they can handle during this week.

"Jap" Everett who has been clerking in Prospect Hotel, Bethel, was in town Saturday visiting friends before entering upon his duties at T. of M. He takes several friends along with him from Norway High.

The electric car people have attacked 16 candle power incandescent lights in the treasury poles opposite the large entrance to the fair grounds. This demonstrates a dark place then ad-

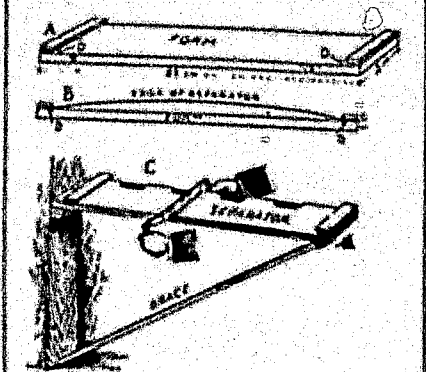
ding the motor men to locate the switches and concession people who use the cars constantly after dark can also avoid danger.



CLEANING SEPARATORS.

E. F. Atwater Tells of His Quick Method of Doing Work.

One of the most monotonous, tiresome and unpleasant jobs connected with large-scale comb-honey production is the annual cleaning of a vast number of bee-gummed separators. In many localities the separator must be thoroughly cleaned every year or else the necessary fixtures cannot be crowded into a super. Another result, but not at all a bad one, is that the sections will hold more honey, as the propolis acts much like cloas on the separator. For this reason some beekeepers seldom clean their separators; but when they do, then they have a job of no small proportions. As no rapid and satisfactory method of cleaning separators has ever been given to the beekeeping public, I will describe a method of my own invention—



Method of Cleaning Separators.

method far more rapid than any that has been used in the past, and it results in separators just as good as new, if you wish them so. One hand is not almost worn out from holding a knife, as in the old plan.

The drawing shows the plan fully. Just 1 1/2 inches apart we nail on it, at the ends, pieces of section stuff 1 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches. On these, and projecting 1/2 inch inward, nail cleats 1 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches. This gives the cleated board complete, as at A. This cleat provides recesses at D D to engage the ends of the separators.

This cleated board is mounted as at G, with one end fast to a joist, the other supported by a diagonal brace. It shows how the separator is to be put in place by springing it so the ends just go under the recesses at D D. It then lies flat, as shown in C. Now stand at M and take the drawing-knife by the handles. Keep the blade nearly at a right angle to the separator. With very thin separators you will find it necessary to do most of the cleaning from the middle toward you, and from the middle away from you, or the separator may spring out of place.

With thicker separators you may go at them roughshod. When one side is clean, turn the separator over and repeat the process. Keep the recesses clean, and brush the loose propolis off the board occasionally.

After a little you will acquire the knack, and you will find this the easiest and most rapid method of cleaning separators—a method that may be used by any one who can hold a knife.

SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST.

Importance of Making Careful Selections from the Year's Hatch.

Every fall, at or before the time for the young stock to go into winter quarters, comes the culling time. We want only strong, vigorous, healthy birds for future breeders or layers. Any birds other than these, not only will not make the best and most prolific layers, but are unfit for parent stock. I know a man who is noted the world over for the excellence of his stock, writes a correspondent of Gardening. He keeps but one brood. He is a fancier, pure and simple, but his stock is strong and vigorous, and his excellence from the fancier's standpoint is borne out by his practically sweeping the boards on prices wherever he exhibits. He has raised this breed for many years, and is at the top in it. Of course, he knows how to mate, and how to handle the birds in every detail, but I believe one important point in his success is the fact that he will not tolerate a chick on the place that is not strong and vigorous. When first hatched, every weakly one has its neck plucked, and any that develop serious weaknesses are at once put out of the way. On culling closely, we find many, at the opening of winter, that are not up to the mark, and go into the fattening pen for a time, where a few weeks' stuffing makes them into excellent foundation stock for chicken pie. This same fate should be meted out to the surplus growers. Half the farmers keep too many males. Not only are they a nuisance, but in such numbers as I have seen them on many farms are a positive detriment to the layers. Can you afford the loss?

The Good Scrub. Sometimes the old ring-necked and speckled hen will lay the best of eggs in the yard; but don't conclude that that always ought to be true. Breed does tell, in hens as well as in every thing else.

MAINE CENTRAL R. R.

In effect June 22, 1908.
Trains leave Rumford Falls at 5:40 a. m., 8:25 a. m., 11:25 p. m. week days; 5:10 p. m. Sunday, for Lewiston, Portland and Boston. 10:20 a. m., 4:35 p. m. week days, and 9:45 a. m. Sundays for Ogunquit.

Trains arrive at Rumford Falls at 10:10 a. m., 4:15 p. m. week days, and 9:35 a. m. Sundays from Lewiston, Portland and Boston.
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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

In Effect June 21

Trains Going East.			
Stations.	No. 4	No. 6	No. 2
	Daily	Ex. Sun.	Daily
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Berlin, leave	3:15	8:05	2:47
Gorham, leave	3:30	8:20	2:59
Gilead, leave	3:51	8:40	3:17
West Bethel, leave	4:02	8:51	3:28
BETHEL, leave	4:12	9:01	3:35
Locke's Mills, leave		9:11	3:42
Bryan's Pond, leave	4:29	9:20	3:48
South Paris, leave	4:39	9:30	4:12
Lewiston, arrive	5:55	10:55	5:00
Portland, arrive	6:50	11:45	5:45

Trains Going West.			
Stations.	No. 3	No. 5	No. 1
	Daily	Ex. Sun.	Daily
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Portland, leave	8:05	1:30	8:30
Lewiston, leave	8:50	2:25	9:18
South Paris, leave	9:30	3:35	10:15
Bryan's Pond, leave	10:18	4:11	10:45
Locke's Mills, leave	10:26	4:18	10:53
BETHEL, leave	10:35	4:27	11:03
West Bethel, leave	10:42	4:35	11:10
Gilead, leave	10:53	4:45	11:22
Gorham, leave	11:17	5:20	11:45
Berlin, leave	11:31	5:37	12:01

Cafe Parlor Car daily on trains 2 and 3 between Portland and Montreal.
Through Pullman Sleeping Car on trains 4 and 1 between Portland, and Lewis and between Portland and Chicago.

Cheap Sunday Excursions.

To Portland, Sept. 13th and 20th.
Leave Bethel 6:55 A. M.
Return Bethel 5:50 P. M.
Fare, Bethel to Portland and return \$1.00.

To Gorham and Berlin, N. H., June 7th to October 25th inclusive.
Leave Bethel 11:12 A. M.
Return Bethel 5:05 P. M.
Fare, Bethel to Gorham or Berlin and return 35 cents.

Oxford County Fair, South Paris, Me. Special train will leave South Paris at 6 p. m., September 10th and 17th for Berlin and intermediate stations.

Excursion to Boston, Mass.

Boston Excursion will be run October 1-11, with return limit of October 16th. Fare, Bethel to Boston and return, \$4.50.

One Way Second Class Colonies Fare to Pacific Coast Points, Effective August 31st to October 30th.

Fare from BETHEL, Me., to—	
Calgary, Alta.	\$65.40
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Vancouver, B. C.	"
San Francisco, Cal.	"
Minneapolis, Minn.	"
Rego, Nev.	"
Portland, Ore.	"

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THE MANAGING OF OBED.

By Chapin Howard, Jr.

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Mrs. Tuttle was sitting in the kitchen, her hands clasped tightly in her lap, and upon her face, framed by the deep velvet bonnet strings, there was an expression almost of terror as she gazed at the tall old clock in the corner of the mantel piece. She remembered her first glimpse of it, 20 years ago, as the day her husband brought her to the farm, a bride. She had stood in the doorway, in her wedding gown, her face glowing shyly about the unfamiliar room, while the clock stared back at her with its pallid, expressionless old face. From the same corner it had watched and ticked away the years while she had faded from a pretty, sweet-faced girl into a plain, elderly woman, old before her time. Mrs. Tuttle, she had called it some- times in the only words of revolt that crossed her lips, and she came back to it now with the feeling of a specter thrust back into the cell from which he had escaped.

She had been to the city for three days with her husband, Obed Tuttle, to visit their married daughter, Emeline, and they had come home on the night of the first time Mrs. Tuttle had been away from the farm over night for more than 15 years, and the simple luxury of her daughter's home came to her as a revelation. The rugs, the polished floors, the snowy, flower-green tablecloth, sparkling with glass and silver in the rose-shaded candlelight, the watchful, attentive waiters—every detail had appealed to the stored senses of the older woman with a comfort that was almost physical.

That first night after dinner Emeline had told her she looked tired and overworked—that it was a shame, she could afford it, that her father didn't like a girl. And her husband, a gray-haired young doctor, had looked up abstractedly and added that he had read somewhere that nearly 30 per cent. of the women in the insane asylum were farmers' wives.

"The words had seemed to hold for her a strange significance." The lean, hunched little woman had never considered the possibility of breaking down. The work on the farm, after the economy was added, had grown heavier with every year, but she had never complained—it kept her from being lonely since her children had grown up and gone away.

She rose nervously and lit the lamp. She took off her bonnet and set about preparing supper with trembling hands. She knew that she must speak with the sense of her freedom was back upon her—before they had settled into the familiar routine against which it would be useless for her to struggle.

But it was not until the supper dishes had been cleared away and her husband, having finished the evening news, had sat down to read his weekly paper in the circle of lamplight by the table, that she found the courage which she sought. She was standing at the sink, and spoke without being asked:

"Did you thought anything of what Emeline said about a girl?" He paid no attention, and she wondered if he had not heard. "Oh," she insisted, "Emeline said she thought—now you could afford it—she ought to hire a girl."

The paper moved impatiently. "I never we've always managed," he said. "I don't see no reason for hiring a girl."

Mrs. Tuttle drew in her breath sharply. For a long time she stood looking hard at the dish she had washed. Her square figure in its shiny black dress was tense.

"It's me like you, Obed," she broke out, "who help all them ayshums up and down the farm. I've worked and done for you in this kitchen all my life, and you're been getting meaner every year. If you should hire a girl, she would do the work."

"I've got the text for your funeral service," he picked out, "it's in the forty-third chapter of Isaiah, the fourth verse. I've had it marked in my Bible twenty years."

She closed her lips tightly, as if frightened at her own daring, and turned back to the sink, went on with her work.

But an hour later, when she had laid up the croaking stairs to the back bedroom, her husband laid down the paper and listened. Then he got up, took down the worn Bible, and was a book mark worked as fast as he could at the forty-third chapter of Isaiah, and the verse marked with a double line of red ink.

"Now," he began, "I know that you are obstinate, and they work in an angry way, and they have been..."

Obed first noticed that his wife was acting queerly. He came in to breakfast one morning after the chores were done, and found she had brought her rocking chair out on to the back porch. She sat with her hands folded idly in her lap, rocking gently to and fro.

"Why, what's the matter, ma?" he asked, stopping in the middle of the path, milk-pail in hand. "Ain't you feelin' well?"

"No," she answered, looking dreamily out across the fields. "No, I'm just restin'." It's lovely, ain't it, this time o' year? I've always said the fall was the time for me. Breakfast is ready, but I guess I'll just set out here—rest."

Obed went in, bewildered, to a solitary meal, and all the while he ate he watched his wife furtively through the open door.

For the next few days he noticed nothing out of the ordinary, except that he often caught her staring at him intently, and frequently the table was badly set.

One noon the dinner-bell summoned him as usual from the field. He came home wearily and washed up at the pump outside. Then he entered the kitchen, and stood staring. It was covered with piles. There was nothing else. Apple, pumpkin, maize and squash stared back at him. Mrs. Tuttle was cutting large pieces from each and heaping them lavishly upon a plate.

"I thought I'd have just what you liked today," she said, smiling up at him as she stood back to survey her work.

Her husband stared at her in dumb bewilderment. There was a look of absolute terror in his eyes.

"I don't want no pie!" he stammered.

"Why, Obed!" she said, reproachfully, "you always liked my pie. I've made a lot of 'em. I guess"—looking at him wistfully—"I've made enough to reach from here to the asylum."

He turned and left the room, his teeth chattering.

That night at two o'clock he was awakened by the sound of someone moving about in the kitchen downstairs. His wife was gone from his side. He sat up in bed and listened. The sound had ceased, and an uneasy stillness filled the house. He got cautiously out of bed and slipped on his clothes. Then he groped his way to the head of the back stairs and listened. The door at the foot was un- locked, showing a faint streak of light. There was the sound of some- thing being dragged across the kitchen floor. Obed shivered a little, and then began to grope his way down, one step at a time. When he reached the bottom he pushed the door open cautiously and peered into the kitchen, blinking a little at the light. There was a small hand lamp on the table, and in the center of the kitchen floor knelt Mrs. Tuttle. Her blue-checked apron and calico skirt were placed up about her knees, and on the floor beside her was a pile of water. Her sparse black hair was drawn tightly back and fastened in a small knot by large, plainly-visible hair-pins. A few stray wisps had escaped and hung against her shrunken cheeks. She had paused to wring out her cloth, and her eyes, fixed on the blank space of the opposite wall, had the glassy stare of a sleep-walker. On one of her thin, work-worn hands gleamed her wedding ring.

"Ma!" said Obed, in an awed voice. "Why, ma!"

He stepped cautiously into the room and picked his way gingerly across to her, between the puddles. She seemed not to know that he was there, but shook out her cloth and, leaning forward on one hand, began to mop the floor.

He touched her shoulder. "Ma," he said, "be you awake?"

She paid no attention, but went on steadily with her work, her arm moving in large half-circles. He stood looking down at her for several minutes.

"Ain't you gettin' tired, ma?" he asked gently.

Mrs. Tuttle stared straight in front of her.

"I want ter leave the house lookin' neat when I start for the asylum," she said mechanically.

He leaned forward. His hand shook, but he held the lamp so that the light shone full upon her face. It was set like flint.

"You ain't goin' ter the asylum, ma," he said soothingly, as one speak- ing to a child. "You go up stairs and go ter bed. I'll get Milly Pettinagli in the morning. She can stay here right along and do the work. You ain't a-going ter the asylum—"

Mrs. Tuttle did not move for several minutes. Then with a sigh, she rose slowly to her feet and, taking up the pail, walked unsteadily across the kitchen to the sink. She dried her hands on her blue checked apron and hung it carefully upon a chair by the stove. Then she went quietly upstairs.

A fortnight later, Mrs. Tuttle was sitting on her back porch after dinner, looking placidly to and fro. From the kitchen came the reckless chatter

of dishes and the shrill tones of a girl's voice singing. Mrs. Tuttle smiled uncertainly.

"I guess she's breakin' about every- thing I've got. But I ain't worryin' No," she went on, her glance stray- ing idly out across the fields, golden in the autumn sunshine. "No, I'm just restin', an' it's about time I begun. I'll have to tell Obed sometime, I suppose, but"—a quizzical look stole into her faded eyes—"that night I got up and mopped the kitchen floor at two o'clock with him standin' by holdin' of the lamp—well it's the first real hilar- ious time I've had in 30 years!"

AN UNNAMED COUNTRY.

For years Canadians have protested against the appropriation by the people of the United States of the designation "American." They have held that it is presumptuous and improper for the people of a nation to take unto themselves the name of a continent. Canadians, Mexicans, Peruvians, Bolivians, Nicaraguans all have heroically as much right to be called Americans as have the people of the United States. But all these are blent with a country with a name. The people of our country, on the other hand, are handicapped in this respect, for the nation really has no name at all. It is merely a collection of confederate States, and accepts this as a makeshift designation. We may be Oleanians or Kentuckians or Virginians or Vermonters, but it going too far to ask us to call ourselves United Statesers of United Statesians. We have to take the title "American" because we have no other.

The Buffalo Express quotes a Canadian correspondent as stating that the annoyance of our northern neighbors because of our appropriation of the name "American" is becoming less and less. Canadians are proud to be called Cana- dians and are glad that they have a country with a real name. They even sympathize with us because our own great nation was never conveniently christened.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SHOT HERSELF.

The community of Phillips was shocked Thursday by the suicide by shooting of Mrs. Verna Knapp, wife of Carroll Knapp, a prominent young man of the town. The cause for the rash act is not known, and a short time before she fired the fatal shot, Mrs. Knapp was apparently in cheerful spirits.

It was about 9 a. m. when little Hor- tense Butler, daughter of a near neigh- bor heard a revolver shot. She ran into the Knapp house and was horri- fied to find Mrs. Knapp lying prostrate on the floor, her head in a pool of blood. Her year old daughter sat on the floor only a few feet from the dying mother and did not appear in the least frightened. The weapon, a .32 cal. revolver lay beside the woman. She was unconscious with a bullet wound in her head when found, but was still alive and gasping for breath. The little Butler girl was badly fright- ened and quickly ran home telling her mother what she had seen. Mrs. Butler telephoned to Mr. Knapp and also summoned a physician. The woman passed away before the physician arrived.

So far as known her married life had been happy. They reside in the Goodwin house on the Dodge Road, and Mr. Knapp was employed as book- keeper for C. H. McKenzie Trading Co. She was about 20 years old and her husband about the same age. No cause for the suicide can be given at this time.

Mrs. Knapp was away at work and her wife and baby were alone in the house. About half an hour before the revolver shot was heard, the grocery team called and left some packages. At this time Mrs. Knapp seemed in the best of spirits, and inquired if her husband had sent up any meat for dinner. Half an hour later she is believed to have deliberately shot herself through the head.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Knapp were highly respected people and took a promi- nent place in the social life of the town.

EAST DIXFIELD.
Miss Lena Smith who has been work- ing for her aunt, Mrs. Tobin, in North Dixfield, has returned to her home in East Dixfield.

Mr. Allen J. Curtis was the guest of Warren Smith and family over Sunday. Mr. Walter Smith and wife are in Portland, visiting Mrs. Smith's sisters. Mrs. Frank Allen, who has been on the sick list for some time is improv- ing slowly.

Mr. R. F. Bobb, who has been in the Sisters Hospital for some is expected home Saturday.

NOTICE.
Owing to the fact that we are unable to get competent help, we cannot keep our studio open all the week as we have planned, and will only be open Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays after this week, so bear that in mind.

Our Boston studio open Thursday, Friday and Saturday each week.

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Market reports, tags, shipping certi- ficates, etc., furnished free.
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Le Roy, N. Y.

STAND FIRM AND PAT.
Monday morning the whistle of the International Mill blew, and as the report was current that it would, and the men on strike he given an opportunity to return to work, many were on the street some time before 7 o'clock.

There were none of the men on the strike among those who went in, and so far as can be learned there were no strike breakers. Those who went in to work were the regular crew that has been employed at various jobs all the time.

Everything was quite and orderly, and although police were stationed on the street there was no occasion for their active services.

Dorothy's Views.
"Mamma," said little Dorothy, "what makes Uncle Ben look so funny?"

"Think, child," hastened the mother, "Uncle Ben is what they call a 'wise old saw'."

Dorothy looked at the myriad of frowns on the old gentleman's face. "Dadma, mamma!" she whispered. "He looks so cross he must be one of those cross-cut saws like they saw Ma Ben with."—Chicago Daily News.

Why He Liked It.
Mrs. Crismonbeck—"We want a new carpet."
Mr. Crismonbeck—"Well, I saw one down town, today, I'd like to have."

"What was the pattern?"
"I don't remember, but it had a sign on it, saying: 'This carpet can't be beaten.'"
—Yonkers Statesman.

Heading Him Off.
Reggy Sapp—"Ah my dear, I think I shall sing that beautiful song 'Heckled in the Circle of the Deep.' Should I not?"
Miss Tabasco—"Yes, you should not."

JAILER FARRAR GETS BUSY.

As a Result Eight Fakirs Vis- it Paris Jail.

The fakirs who are here to attend the fair, struck town full force Friday afternoon, coming here from Lewiston on the 3.35 train, bag and baggage, and it was evident as soon as they alighted on the platform at the station that they were about the toughest lot we had ever had favor us with their presence. Nearly all of them were to a more or less extent under the influ- ence of liquor, as their actions showed plainly.

After the travelling public and most of the townspeople had left the station, the fakirs got into a general fight among themselves, and when in the course of the scrap one of them pulled a revolver, Station Agent Chandler thought things had gone about far enough and telephoned to Sheriff Farrar to come and look after them. The result was that after considerable ex- citement he landed seven of them in jail to cool off a little.

The next day before the Norway Mu- nicipal court the hearing was held. One man was acquitted, another appealed and furnished cash bail, two paid their fines of \$25.00 and the other three are now serving their time out in jail.

This incident did not seem to take all the fight out of the crowd and it was reported that Saturday night there was considerable fighting at the Fair Grounds. On Sunday, Joseph Kelley was arrested by Jailer Farrar on the charge of assault. He paid a fine and costs, which amounted to \$20.05 and was released. Some of the fakirs have said that they have run away town they have been in and were going to this one, but it is thought that the warm recep- tion they received will have the desired effect and not much trouble is expected from them.

SALVATION ARMY HARVEST FESTIVAL.
The Salvation Army is about to in- augurate their Annual Harvest Festi- val throughout the United States. The dates for special services are to be Sept. 26 to 29.

Special meetings will be held by the local Rumford branch upon those dates. The purpose of these meetings is to obtain contributions from those whose crops have been abundant.

Capt. Jones of the Army in Rumford informs the CITIZEN that he thinks the Army can make a dollar do the work of ten as money is used in business en- terprises generally.

He further says in his appeal, "The men too poor or too mean for the Sal- vation Army to help has probably never been found."

He claims world wide invasion for the Army. Says it is in all Christian, and some non-Christian lands.

FORMER RUMFORD COUPLE TENDERED RECEPTION.
A party in honor of the 5th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Laf- kin of Chicago, Ill. was held at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Henry French, above Rumford Center Wednes- day evening September 14th. Mr. and Mrs. Lafkin who were former residents of this town have been spending the summer here at their old homes.

About 35 guests were present which included the families and a few inti- mate friends. The evening passed pleasantly with social chat interspersed with music. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Lafkin re- ceived several pretty gifts.

Among those from "the Falls" who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Bat- tie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norris, Mr. J. A. Nils, Miss Grace Young and Mr. Frederick O. Bates.

Clothes and the Man.
A gentleman met his medical ad- viser on Forty-second street the other day and passed a friendly greeting.

"Well, and how are you?" asked the doctor.

"Quite passable, thanks," said the other, "but I notice that when I bend forward, stretch out my arms horizon- tally and impart to them a circular motion, I always feel such a pain in my left shoulder."

"But what need is there for you to perform such ridiculous antics?" in- quired the physician.

"Do you know any other way, doc- tor, of getting on your 'op-coast'?" re- sponded his patient.—Harper's Weekly.

The Holland Primrose.
There is a beautiful flower in Hol- land called the evening primrose. It has escaped from cultivation, and now grows wild in many places. The plant is about five feet in height, and is covered with branches of a brilliant red- low color. A traveler who came upon a field of these primroses shortly be- fore sunset described what he calls the dramatic effect made by them. It is at that hour that the flowers open, and as he approached the field, they all opened at once, and so suddenly that it seemed as if a magic wand had touched the land and covered it with a golden sheet.

IT CAN BE DONE.

Prof. Shaw Tells of Growing Pure- bred Calves on Skim Milk.

While visiting the farm of Mr. W. J. Landon of Winona, Minn., which was awarded second prize in the Hill com- test, I saw a bunch of pure-bred Shorthorn calves in a pasture that had every appearance of thrift, writes Prof. Thomas Shaw, in Orange Judd Farmer. I was, of course, pleased to learn that they had been raised sub- stantially on skim milk. They were as large and thrifty as calves of the age usually are reared on the dams.

These calves were reared as follows: They were given raw milk until three- to four weeks old. They were then changed to skim milk, taking about three weeks to make the change from all new milk to all skim milk. As soon as the change was begun they were given a certain amount of lin- seed gruel. It is made by mixing ground oil meal in boiling water and adding as much as is necessary to the milk. The amount to add is deter- mined by the influence which it ex- erts on the digestion.

Meal is added in the dry form. This is fed along with alfalfa meal. The grain mixture is composed of about equal parts of barley, oats and bran, the two first named being ground. They are liberally fed of this food and make a good growth on it. They are plentifully supplied with green food at the same time, indoors or out.

The difference in the coat between rearing calves thus and on the dams is very marked. Instead of giving it to the calves the milk of the dams is made into butter. They are kept producing thus for nine or ten months in the year, and they breed more regu- larly than cows not thus managed. The calves have no check after being weaned, as they sometimes have when reared on the dams.

A CELLAR CUPBOARD.
Arrangement by Which Running Up and Down Stairs is Avoided.

To secure the advantages of a cel- lar cupboard without the necessity of climbing up and down the cellar stairs, sink a box of any desired dimensions between the joists of the kitchen or pantry floor, allowing it to come a

couple of inches above the floor line of the floor, to avoid the entrance of dust from the floor, says the Prairie Farmer. Slats are nailed across the bottom of the box which is then covered with wire netting to prevent flies and mice from reaching the contents, as indicated at B. A hinged cover, A, protects the top of the box.

Two Systems of Pasteurizing.
There are two systems of pasteuriz- ing milk in use at present—the inter- mittent or discontinuous system and the continuous flow system. The dif- ference in the efficiency of the two systems, in which the milk or cream is put into a closed machine and held at the desired temperature for a given time, has a decided advantage in the efficiency of work done over the con- tinuous system. The latter system is used almost exclusively in large es- tablishments where a great amount of milk is handled. The reason for this is probably that the cost of pasteuriz- ing a large amount of milk or cream is less when this system is used than it would be if the intermittent system were employed. But if the quantity of milk or cream handled is not too large and a product with good keeping qualities is desired, the intermittent is undoubtedly the system to be em- ployed.—E. C. Meyers.

Farm Butter Disappearing.
Every year less butter is being man- ufactured on the farm, and this is as it should be; for, while we teach home dairying, still I am a great advocate of co-operative dairying, writes a cor- respondent of Orange Judd Farmer. Good butter can be and is made on the farm, but from lack of skill and care, or through improper surround- ings, dairy butter very often lacks the floor quality and body known as "A1" quality. To be a successful but- ter maker requires intellect and phys- ical strength.

Army to Use Oleomargarine.
It is reported that the army is to use oleomargarine instead of butter. It is further said that butter has not been previously issued as part of the ration and that the soldier will find himself just that much ahead in get- ting the oleomargarine. We think that the sentiment in this country is that the soldier should be furnished butter, and not oleomargarine, and we know that this is the sentiment prevailing among the farmers.

To Prevent Rolling in Stall.
To prevent a horse from rolling in the stall, fasten a stout ring in the overhead strap in the halter and at- tach to a ring in the ceiling at a point just back of the manger. A strap tied in this and snapped to the halter so that the horse can rest his nose on the ground, but not the top of his head, will prevent rolling. It would be well to have a weight on the other end of the strap to take up the slack.

Red Raspberry Plants.
Red raspberry plants can be trans- planted when a few inches high, and are more better than yearling plants set in early spring.

SYLVIA I. BARTLETT, LOWELL, MASS.

An Appreciation By Smith Baker.

In the constant publicity which is given to the evil in the world, there is the temptation to forget that there were never before so many noble and unselfish men and women as at the present time.

In the special attention which is bestowed upon marked instances of great generosity or peculiar examples of heroic unselfishness, there is an omitting to notice, the ten thousand times more numerous examples of equal goodness and unselfish labor of which the newspaper world is ignorant.

One tall, wide branched oak in the field is seen and admired for many miles away, while the fields of waving grain all about it are much more valuable to the community.

Thus the hundreds of humble, unadorned and unselfish good lives in society are of much more value to the world than the now and then conspicuous example of great deeds.

Miss Sylvia I. Bartlett, whose funeral was observed in this city last Saturday, was a most marked illustration of this truth.

For ten years a deaconess of the First Congregational church, of which the writer was then the pastor, she became one of the strongest personalities in its spiritual life and work.

Belonging to an humble but honorable family, she was educated in the schools of this city.

By nature modest and unassuming but thoughtful, sincere, sympathetic and with great firmness of character and intensity of conviction, she was the incarnation of realism in the religious life.

With great common sense and superior judgment concerning persons, and with a simplicity as far as possible from affectation, she at once gained the confidence of all who knew her and became a most important factor in the church, devoting her time to visiting the poor, the sick and the many young women who came from the country to the city.

Her spiritual life had a naturalness, an earnestness, a gentleness, a cheerfulness and a faith which inspired confidence. No one could be more conscientious or reliable. In the former times she would have been a cheerful martyr.

Her conversion to Christ was so alluring and honest, that the little was to her the most real of books. With her, prayer was as far as possible from a formal service or a mere lifting of the mind in contemplation of great ideas, but was a real communion with God. With almost none of the popular religious emotion or sentiment in her life, she was so thoughtful, sensible, tender and intense in her private conversation and public remarks as to command respect and give her words great influence.

She drew in her classes in the Bible school scores of young women, many of whom were laboring girls in the city and the majority of them were led by her to the acceptance of Christ and to a union with the church.

During the eight years she brought to her pastor, one by one, over 50 inquirers for the Christian life. She lived in constant expectation that some one whom she knew would enter the kingdom of Christ. Her idea of prayer was to ask God to incline his spirit to pray for some one who was in need, and she believed when she inclined her heart, that he had an answer prepared and would grant her request, and so far as the matter knows, it was so. At least wherever to her quiet, modest and gentle way (for she never spoke of this in public), she said she believed that no particular person would confess first. They very soon did so. One of the most successful Christian workers in our land is a living illustration of her prayer and faith. Her naturally reflective turn of mind, together with her unadorned faith, gave her for an unadorned person, a superior insight into the spiritual meaning of the Bible. She seemed to discover the truth between the lines and see the text.

She was in the true sense a spiritual mother, and many a time her pastor was assisted in the understanding of God's word by her spiritual perception. She was in no sense a perfect being, or visionary, or religious enthusiast, or any of the usual and extraneous qualities of some good people, but a simple, unassuming woman who made her soul's life real and full of all the interests which cluster about a pure young womanhood. And she was so warm a companion and so good a friend to her friends, that she was a helping friend to many who were in trouble and a comfort to many Christians in their religious struggles.

We have spoken to congregations in many of the leading cities of our land, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and in every all of them some one has inquired for this woman, who helped them so much. Her outbursts were not by a long illness, until last week, when her soul was liberated for the eternal mansion. Her unadorned life was an illustration and proof

MEXICO AND RIDLONVILLE.

The Week's News as Gathered by our Special Correspondent

Clark and Glen Fellows spent Wednesday at the Lewiston Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Varum of Jeffersonville were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Blinford last week and a brother, Byron Varum visited at the home of H. W. Park, making the trip in their automobile. These brothers formerly spent some time in town as they were the Rangeley Railroad contractors.

Wallace Gleason left Monday for Orono to enter the University of Maine for his freshman year.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Kidder returned Saturday from a visit to Canton, Hartford and Livermore.

Mrs. F. A. Perkins returned last week from Woodstock, where she has been for some time caring for her mother, who has been very ill for a long time and passed away last week.

Carroll Gleason entered on his second year at Hebron Academy this week. Josie and Freeman Kidder returned the first of the week from Weld, where they have been in camp during the summer season.

Mrs. Clark Fellows and daughter, Lizette returned from Augusta, Friday, where they have been guests of Mrs. Fellow's mother, Mrs. Hinton.

Mrs. Chas. Ripley came down from Andover last week to spend a week at home.

Mrs. W. L. Westcott and son Merle returned Monday from a visit to Oldtown.

Mrs. Percy Gammon and Mrs. O. E. Whitney, who have been visiting their home in Carthage, returned Monday.

Mrs. F. J. Grant returned from Mechanic Falls Tuesday and Wednesday went to Lewiston to attend the State Fair.

Mrs. A. B. Parsons spent two days last week as the guest of her sister in Greene, and attending State Fair at Lewiston one day.

Mrs. B. W. Goodwin and daughter returned Saturday from a visit to her home in Kennebunk.

Leon Parsons, whose leg was so severely injured with the scythe a few weeks ago, is able to be up and get around by means of crutches.

Mrs. Robert Wynn went to Portland, Saturday to have her eyes treated.

Mr. Haines of Virginia has moved his family into the upper part of Mattheus McLeod's house.

Fred Emery is getting ready to build a stable in the rear of his house. W. L. White is the builder.

Mrs. Fred Fish has been very ill and confined to her bed for a few days.

Chas. Garcelon is able to resume work after a two weeks' illness.

Fred Dudley and family left Saturday for a visit to St. N. H.

Mrs. O. L. Hanton and Miss Louise Foster are spending some time at Old Orchard. Dr. Hanton intends to spend his Sundays with them.

John Christopher has moved his family to Gardner, Me.

The Ladies Aid met Tuesday at the church parlors and the Sunshine Club will meet Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Wyman of Granite street.

Grace Ladd returned this week from a three weeks' vacation to her home in Byron to resume her work at W. S. Crommett's.

Mrs. Louise Foster attended the State Fair at Lewiston Wednesday.

F. E. Woodward went to Portland Saturday to stay over Sunday.

John David and son Clarence spent Thursday in Peru.

Mrs. H. J. Reynolds has two of the teachers boarding with her.

The C. E. Society of the Congregational church held their monthly business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Blake. After the business was transacted the evening was spent in a social way and light and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. A. E. Small and Mrs. H. W. Park enjoyed a delightful ride in the touring car of Mr. Varum, their guest one day last week.

The Baptist Sunday school held their

plein in Whitman's prove Saturday with a large attendance of young and older ones. It was an ideal day for a picnic and the time was spent with outdoor games with plenty of good things to eat, and all seemed to enjoy a very good time.

Percy Wagner returned Sunday night from a week's outing at Roxbury Pond with a party of young friends.

John Merriman from Hamilton, Ohio, has moved his family into the Houghton house on Oxford St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davis have been entertaining guests from Ohio.

Mrs. Wm. Vandenberg left Saturday morning for Mechanicville, N. Y., where she will be the guest of her son Arthur and wife for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wagner spent Sunday in Peru.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will give an oyster supper in the vestry on Friday of this week from 5:30 to 8 p. m. This is the first supper of the season and all are invited to come and help make it a success.

A. S. Burzell has sold out his livery business to Fred Gordon of Rumford. The K. O. K. A. are to have a ball game next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock on Whitman Hill Field, and especially invite the fathers and mothers and grown people to attend. All come and encourage the boys.

W. S. Crommett and wife leave Thursday for Garland Pond, where they will spend the time until Monday in Geo. Thomas' camp with a party of friends.

Mrs. Carroll Austin and Grace Ladd will assist in the postoffice and store. Miss Gladys Waite of Canton, is visiting at the home of Dr. R. O. Waite for a few days.

Rev. J. G. Fisher entertained Mr. Worthly of Brownville, for two days last week, who is spending his vacation by making a bicycle trip in Maine.

Mrs. W. L. Westcott and Mr. Henry Nelson are two of the delegates to the County Conference at Andover next week, besides a number of others who plan to go also.

Leo Friable of Rumford, has moved his family into the Keene house.

Rev. J. G. Fisher and Henry Nelson go to Sumner Friday to be present at the Ordination to the Ministry of Chas. Eaton at the Congregational church.

Main street is much improved by her new sidewalks and now that this has been accomplished the people living at the Mexico end of the town would be glad to see the Roxbury road leveled so that persons walking in the evening would not be suspected of having indulged in too much beer.

Miss Mattie Madden is staying with Mrs. H. J. Reynolds and attending school here.

Miss Sarah M. Goff, who taught here last term, returned Saturday to Rumford to teach in the schools there. We are very sorry that she is not to be in this school, as Miss Goff was well liked both in school and social life.

WEST PERU.
Mrs. Charles Lane will teach school in Dixfield this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Swamy and son, Lyman, have returned to their home after visiting in Portland.

Born, September fourth, to the wife of Bert Kilbreth, a daughter.

D. W. Oldham has sold one of his horses to Mr. Virgin of Rumford.

A number from this place are working in the corn shop at Dixfield.

Leo Hunt has returned to his school in Gorham after spending the summer with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Horbert Lunt.

Hart Knox of the River road lost one of his horses the first of the week. The animal died of colic.

D. W. Piper has gone on a visit to his son, Edworth Piper of Hartford.

Era Staples and Charles Childs attended the State Fair, Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Goggin has gone to Oldtown, where she will resume her teaching.

Will Interest Many.
Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs as they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Remedy is taken in time.

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CANTON HAPPENINGS.

As Observed and Told by the Citizen Reporter.

S. H. Burbank and wife of Livermore Falls visited at Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shackley's the first of the week.

E. E. Whittemore of Lewiston was in town Sunday.

The Misses Florence and Gertrude Hersey have returned to Montreal.

T. A. Potter is clerking in G. H. Johnson's meat market.

Mrs. Elizabeth Whitman of Mexico has been the guest of Mrs. C. F. Oldham and Mrs. A. P. York.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Howes and two children of Livermore Falls visited at E. Richardson's last Thursday.

Neil Forhan is spending a vacation at his home in town.

Gladys L. Waite has been visiting at Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hayford of Augusta are visiting her parents, Otis Hayford and wife.

The remains of Mr. Woodbury Rich of Boston were brought to Canton Saturday and buried in the cemetery at Canton Point, Sunday. Mr. Rich was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Isaac Ellis and Mr. Fred Buck and was well known in this vicinity. His age was seventy-two years.

Miss Josephine Forhan of Portland has been visiting her uncle, J. K. Forhan and family.

Towle's Orchestra is engaged to play Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week at Phillips, during the fair at that place.

C. F. Oldham is building an addition to his shop.

Mrs. Frank Richardson and M. N. and M. Richardson went to Rangeley on the excursion Sunday.

Virgil Fletcher is improving in health. Miss Maude Ellis had an operation performed on a knee last Monday. Dr. Morse was the attending physician.

Miss Lila Gilbert of the CITIZEN office, Bethel, is visiting at her home in town.

Mabel Hines, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hines was taken to the C. M. G. Hospital at Lewiston on Monday last week and was operated on for appendicitis immediately on arrival. Later reports of her condition were unfavorable. Her father and grandfather, Aaron Jackson visited her Saturday.

Stanwood Bicknell of Winchester, N. H. is visiting his parents, F. E. Bicknell and wife.

Mrs. Geo. Stevens and daughter Beryl of Lewiston, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Johnson, Insurance Agent, O. M. Richardson went to Jay Bridge Monday to adjust the insurance on the stores of Henry Strout and Chas. Sawyer which were burned Sunday night.

Nathan Reynolds and family enjoyed an outing at Hangeley, Sunday.

Allie Barrows of East Sumner was in town Saturday.

Mrs. A. A. Olmstead has returned from a week's visit in Auburn.

Miss Ella Mason of Lynn, Mass., visited her sister Mrs. K. K. Forhan and family last week.

The members of the Universalist circle with invited friends, enjoyed a concert at the pleasant home of Walter E. Morrison and wife, Thursday evening.

Dr. E. A. McCallister of Lewiston, was in town on professional business Monday, and was the guest of his brother, R. E. McCallister and family at the Point.

Mabel J. Goding went to Springvale, Saturday, where she is engaged to teach the fall term of school.

Dr. Geo. P. Richardson returned to his home in Mt. Pleasant, Mich., last Friday.

The Misses Ida and Amy Russell of Hartford have gone to Worcester, Mass., where they are employed in the Isaacson family.

The death of Mrs. Almira C. Packard occurred on Monday, Sept. 7, at 10:10 p. m. at the home of her son, M. B. Packard, where she had been ill but a short time. Mrs. Packard was the widow of the late Stephen B. Packard and was seventy years of age. Three children, Melles B. Packard of Canton, John Packard of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. Lillie Coffee of Lewiston survive her. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 1 p. m. at the home, Rev. Bernard Christopher officiating.

Mrs. W. B. Gilbert is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. K. Forhan of Woodville. Mrs. J. K. Forhan was at Lewiston, Thursday.



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W. B. Gilbert and family took an auto ride to Rumford Sunday.
E. T. Holland has put in a stock of grain for sale.
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EAST SUMMER.
A council has been called for the purpose of ordaining Mr. S. C. Eaton at the Congregational church, Friday evening, Sept. 19th.

W. H. Eastman and his daughter, Esther, took a carriage drive to the west end part of the county last week. They report a most enjoyable trip.

Seven students from this place will attend the Harkfeld High School this term, two in the freshman class, four in the sophomore class and one in the junior class.

Miss Sarah Barrett of Harkfeld visited friends in this vicinity last week.

The intense heat of last week hastened the ripening of vegetation, and the leaves are falling from the trees in great numbers.

Mrs. Harriet Maxim has been visiting her brother-in-law, G. A. Maxim.

Fred S. Palmer has been building a penstock for F. L. Warren's grist mill.

Augustus Bessy's 14 Holsteins took 15 ribbons at the State Fair. All but four were blue.

W. E. Tucker also took several prizes on his oxen at Waterville and Lewiston.

SOUTH SUMMER.
School commenced last Monday under the direction of Miss Florence Poland of Sumner.

John Tenney and family visited in Hartford one day recently.

Elden Tucker of this place won the first prize at the State Fair in the pulling contest of oxen in his class.

Several in this place are having colic and stomach trouble.

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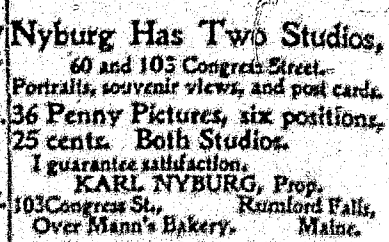
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TRAINING THE COLT.

atters Which Are of Prime Importance.

In the first place teach the colt that you are his superior. This can be done much easier when the youngster is small. Put on a soft, properly fitting halter; get him thoroughly used to this, but in doing this do not tie up something solid and leave, otherwise you may return and find your colt has committed suicide by either breaking his neck or choking himself, but lead it quietly around the stall or yard beside its mother, and it will only be a short time before the youngster will understand what you want when you pull on his halter and it is slowly broken to lead; teach him that you will not hurt him and that it is useless for him to try to get away.

This is a great age of education. As it is with people, so it is with livestock; the early education is the most impressive and lasting, therefore, the horse is the servant of man, he must be trained in order to be a valuable servant. In training a colt it is necessary to get on friendly terms, as loud or unkind treatment tends to drive the colt in a direction opposite to that you would have him go to and make him do things just the opposite from what you want.

Every animal has more or less obstinacy to its nature. Get hold of a colt's tail and his first idea is to pull away, or try to lead a calf it will brace itself and offer all the resistance in its power; the young colt will do the same thing if gone at in the same way.

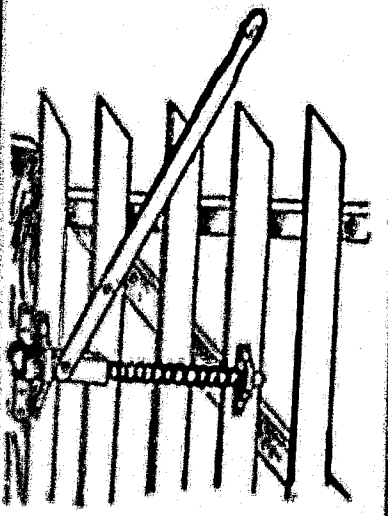
As a colt reaches maturity its strength increases very rapidly, and if a horse is to become a good work horse this obstinate nature must be more or less overcome.

There is no more objectionable habit than a horse can have than to be a halter breaker, or to be ready to offer resistance every time anything out of the ordinary comes up, says Indiana Farmer. If anyone should doubt this let him undertake to break a five-year-old ranch horse that never knew what submission was, and the lesson will be very thoroughly impressed; it is only in very exceptional cases that such horses are ever broken so that they can be depended upon. I do not advocate making a pet of a colt, and would advise the reader to never do it, like a spoiled child they are always on too familiar terms and always get into objectionable habits that are not easy to break. Teach the colt to understand your language; teach him to stop at the single word "whoa." Always speak the word clearly and at the same time snub the colt short and he will soon connect the word and the event, and stop when the word is given. Follow the same line in teaching him to stand over in the stall, or go forward or backward as commanded. In doing this use the whip sparingly, but be sure that you make him mind you. A severe punishment will often put the colt on bad terms with its trainer, which is especially fruitful of forming bad habits, which often reduces the value of a valuable horse. These are necessary, but simple requirements, and every farmer raising colts should adopt. See that the colt is trained properly so he will be of valuable service in the future.

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ordinary slide latch, but the latch must be made from a good piece of wood. It is trimmed on one end so that an old spring from a grain drill will fit on and reach from the shoulder to the bracket on the gate. A hook is fitted over the end of the latch, explains Prairie Farmer, and a screw is attached as indicated, by which the gate can be opened from the outside side.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Don't forget to sponge the horse with his tail. It helps to cool and rest him.

Make the bedding either straw or shavings, every morning, and remove the water.

Take the dirt off the water before your horse drink it after a long drive.

Curry lightly over the ribs and belly of a horse, for they are tender and break places.

Don't give a warm horse more than two or three swallows of water until he is cooled off.

Be sure to look out for fall feed. The feeding is likely to prove profitable business next year for the sake of livestock.

WEST PARIS.

The Weekly Happenings as Cleaned by Our Special Staff Reporter.

Work at the corn shop has been quite rushing and there have been two days when they canned 90 bushels in a day, the largest day's work which was ever done at this factory. There probably will not be much more work done after this week, but the pack will be considerably larger than last year. Mr. Josiah Moody has had charge of the corn yard and an average of about 25 bushels a day have been employed.

There was a good representation of voters from this section at the election last Monday. Our well known townsman, C. Howard Lane, Esq., was elected by the Republicans as representative to the Legislature from this district.

Mr. S. Barry Locke has been at home for a few days.

Mr. Abner H. Mann who has spent the summer here is at his mother's home at Norway for a few days. Last of this month he will go to Portland where he will take a course in Shaw's Business College.

Religious Day will be observed on Sunday Sept. 27th by the Sunday School at the Universalist church and there will be special exercises.

Rev. C. F. Parsons of Portland, who is presiding elder for this district, accompanied by Mrs. Parsons, spent the most of last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ford at the parsonage of the M. E. church.

Mr. Harry H. Bates and Mr. Lee Higgins of New Haven, Conn., arrived in town the last of the week and went last Monday morning to the Lakes, for a hunting trip. Mr. Bates will return here later to visit his brother, L. C. Bates.

Miss Dora I. Hill is again teaching school at Richardson Hollow.

Miss Elmer H. Tuell returns to Westbrook Seminary the 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dunham of Waterville are spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dunham.

A large number from here attended the County Fair this week.

A party of about 25 young people had a corn roast in the Curtis' pasture last Saturday evening.

Miss Laura A. Willis and Miss Lila B. Young are attending High School at South Paris.

Miss Lulah Thompson of Haverhill, Mass., is staying at J. H. Cole's for the month of September.

Mrs. Wheeler of Oakland is visiting her son, Dr. E. E. Wheeler and H. H. Wardwell is having his mother for a guest for a few days.

WEST SUMNER.

Guy B. Heath is working at East Sumner in the corn shop.

Mrs. Delvina Lane who has been visiting at her brother's, Mr. Harry and Mr. Jefferson Farrar's has returned.

Mrs. John Heath has gone to the hospital.

Mr. Clifton Bibeau has returned to Auburn.

Miss Nellie Lucas and mother are visiting at Jefferson Farrar's.

Horace Barrows and wife has returned home.

Miss Grace Farrar's father visited her last week.

Mrs. George Curtis has two boarders. Robert Robbins is on the sick list.

Mrs. Frank Young visited her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Farrar, Thursday.

Mrs. Hiram Howe is no better.

The Deacons have all returned to Philadelphia from their summer home here.

Everett Robbins and wife and baby Gertrude, spent Sunday with Harry Jacobs and wife in Hartford.

Al. Deacy and wife spent Sunday at Harry Pakiffer's.

BUCKFIELD.

Mr. A. F. Warren has received a visit from Mr. H. H. Merry and family of Auburn. Mr. Merry is a salesman for F. O. Davis & Co., grocers of Lewiston.

Robert Tyler and family of Mexico and Edgar W. Veer of Lynn, have been in town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Heath of West Sumner, have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. T. H. East.

See teachers for the fall term of school are as follows: Brock school, Lucile Churchill; Prince school, Flora Whitman; Allen school, Mary Foster; East school, Grace Austin; South Hill school, Temple Jordan; Buckfield High school, Arthur M. Foster; principal; Buckfield intermediate, Elmer Hawley.

The State road near Allen Dams is being worked by Road Commissioner A. Parsons and crew.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dams have been entertaining their son, Herbert March and family of Rumford.

R. C. Thomas, who has been at Old Orchard, has returned home.

Mrs. Sarah Barrett has been receiving a visit from Mrs. Genevieve Hutchinson of Hingham, N. Y.

DIXFIELD ITEMS.

The Happenings of the Week as gathered by the Citizen Reporter.

Mrs. Matilda Marsh returned last week from Portland, where she had been for several weeks visiting her daughter and family.

Miss Evelyn Stinson of Wald was a guest of Mrs. W. E. Putnam last week. Charlie Chase was quite sick the past week.

W. K. Chase and Eddie Haines were at Berry Mills last Tuesday evening and furnished music for the dance at the Grange Hall.

Mr. F. M. McLean and daughters, Tina and Gladys of Berry Mills, were in town Saturday.

Several from here attended the State Fair last week.

The farmers are busy hauling their sweet corn to the factory. The quality is above the average and the season has been very favorable for the business.

Mr. C. L. Dillingham and Mr. Geo. Oates are taking their annual vacation at Bangley.

Several families who have spent several weeks at Lake Webb this season, have returned to their homes.

Mrs. Wm. E. Jordan and daughter, Rubena, recently visited in Portland and at Mr. Jordan's parents in Freeport.

Mr. H. A. Yettin and wife, Mrs. E. Jordan and daughter, Rubena, Thomas Holt, were guests at Mrs. Mell Holland's on Sept. 1st.

Mr. Wm. E. Jordan from New York City joined his family at H. A. Yettin's cottage Sept. 3d.

On Friday, Sept. 4th there was a picnic gathering in the Pine at H. A. Yettin's. Those present being H. A. Yettin and wife, W. E. Jordan, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Deane from West Peru, Mr. R. N. Woodman, wife and son Ralph from Rumford Falls. A feast of good things to eat and a good social hour with much merriment were enjoyed. All hoping for an annual gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan of New York, spent Saturday and Sunday with R. M. Woodman and family at Rumford.

Mr. O. L. Faine lost a horse Monday night. This is the second one that has died in three weeks.

Mrs. M. J. Scribner and son Fred, who have been visiting at Mrs. E. F. Emerson's, returned to their home in Albany, Tuesday.

Mr. Ed. Merrill is visiting his parents at Pittsfield.

Mr. C. L. Dillingham went to Lewiston, Wednesday.

Mrs. Olive Dillott, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. David Atkins, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Daisy Dillingham has gone to Gorham, Me., where she will attend Normal school. Miss Edie Reed will also attend the same school.

Mr. C. L. Dillingham and Mr. Geo. Oates have returned from the lakes, where they have been for the past week fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hiseock from East Dixfield, were guests of Mrs. E. F. Emerson and daughter, Blanche, last Thursday.

Quite a number from here attended the State Fair at Lewiston last Wednesday.

Miss Ida E. Edmunds went to Detroit, Mich., Friday, where she has a position in the physical training department of the Y. W. C. A. for the coming year.

Mrs. A. W. Griffith returned to her home in Roxbury, Mass., last Friday.

Walter Chase and wife who have been visiting relatives at Locke Mills, returned Saturday.

Miss Alice Lucas of Rumford spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Millie Russell attended the millinery opening in Boston, Monday. She will return to Portland for the season's work, at 4th Congress street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. McLaughlin and wife of Portland were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bove and family.

WEST BUCKFIELD.

Miss Edith Barrett of Sumner visited at O. D. Warren's and Harry Duck's recently.

O. D. Warren and family went to Lewiston Tuesday and returned Thursday. Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett, Paul and Gene Bennett attended State Fair. Ray Briggs went Thursday.

Herbert Phillips and son Linwood were at his farm Thursday and Friday.

Harry Duck and James Richards worked on the road a part of last week. School commences Sept. 14th. Miss Flora Whitman teaches in Prince District.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Blumel have been to Peru on a visit.

Mrs. Emma Bovey has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Churchill and Ralph and Charlie Cooper spent the day Friday at North Pond.

Miss Edith Pearson and Mahel, returned from Maine Thursday.

FRYEBURG.

Mr. Geo. Weston was married Tuesday to a lady in Vermont.

Maurice Pillsbury and wife were at Loverett's Pond over Labor Day.

Dr. Jordan of South Portland, formerly of Fryeburg, spent a few days in town recently with his wife.

John Burrell is in town looking for employment.

Mr. Howard of the Granite St. Fire Insurance Co., Augusta, and W. B. Tarbox, Fryeburg, agent for the same company were in Denmark, Wednesday to settle the loss on Mrs. Carner's buildings recently burned.

This is the ideal month for camping and many are improving the time by rustling.

Mr. Samuel Locke of Philadelphia has been with Mr. and Mrs. Willard at their camp in So. Chatham.

E. E. Hastings and family have been at Camp Keane for several days.

John Henry Weston and wife have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Payson Weston.

Marcus M. Smart, president of the officers Association of the 13th Maine Regiment attended their reunion at Dunston, Thursday.

Mr. Samuel Evans received a telegram last week telling him of the death in Arizona of Mr. Wm. Souther, his cousin. Mr. Souther was a native of Fryeburg and had many friends here as well as an aunt and several cousins.

He was the last one of a family whose name has long been associated with Fryeburg. He leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. John Stewart Barrows spent Labor day in Fryeburg.

Herbert Hodson and family, who have spent the summer in Ossipee, returned home last week.

Miss Worat of Augusta, who has boarded in Fryeburg several summers is in town for the Gordon-Billings wedding.

Mrs. Danham of N. J. is thinking of buying a lot and building a house in Fryeburg.

Benjamin Warren, who has been in Portland most of the summer is spending a few days at home before returning to the University of Maine.

Mrs. James I. Louis has picked quite a quantity of strawberries from her garden the past week.

The Academy opened Tuesday with two new teachers, Mr. Clark from Dexter and Mr. Lowell from Westbrook.

Wednesday evening occurred the wedding of Miss Mollie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jordan. The two families only attended the marriage but a large number of invitations were out for the reception. She married Mr. Billings of Boston and will reside in Brighton, Mass.

Mrs. Dunham and granddaughter, Miss Grace, of New Jersey, who have been boarding at Mrs. Buxell's all summer, left for their home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace E. Tarbox returned from a visit to Belfast Thursday. Belfast was Mrs. Tarbox's native city.

Mrs. M. B. Barker, Miss Hattie Pike and Clayton Pike, recently purchased the A. R. Jenness house on Maine St., of Hon. Eckley Stevens of Lowell.

FRYE.

Mr. and Mrs. Mell Doren and daughter of Mexico were at the home of C. H. Burgess for a visit, Sunday.

Miss Martha Arnold of Mexico recently visited her sister, May Arnold.

Geo. Burgess has returned from a two weeks' visit to Carthage.

Miss Sadie Rowe, who is teaching school in district No. 2 and Miss A. A. Peabody, were at Cold Spring Park, Saturday of last week.

Mr. Carroll Philbrick called on Wm. Burgess, Sunday.

The Frye Ball Club that has been spending a week at Silver Lake has returned home.

Mrs. D. B. Mitchell is improving in health, we are very glad to report.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mitchell attended the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dorr of Mexico called on Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burgess, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harding of Andover called on their daughter, Mrs. Ben. Philbrick, Sunday.

NORTH HARTFORD.

Mrs. Ellen Carver had the misfortune to lose one of her work horses with colic Monday. She lost one of her span last year and this was one bought to replace it. It seems hard luck for her.

Herbert Farrar was through the place with his auto, stopping over night with Mrs. Maudie Carter. He was enroute for Livermore Falls.

Mr. George Collins attended the Lewiston State Fair this week, showing the gasoline engine for sale, Morse & Co.

Mrs. Carrie Andrews and son Carl, of Rumford took a spring trip to Hartford staying over night with her brother, H. B. Jacobs and family.

Mrs. Jane Gammon, who went to the Portland hospital for an operation of appendicitis, is reported to be getting along as well as they can expect. Her sister, Miss Frances Bovey is doing the housework and caring for the children in her absence.

We are very much in need of rain. We are dry and water has to be hauled from other places.

seed and cattle begin to look around to see if they cannot find something better to eat. Apples are dropping from the trees in abundance, but a good share of the grasshoppers have disappeared and where are they?

Arthur Jacobs went to Buckfield Thursday night.

Rena Carter attended the dance at Peru Center one night this week.

Fred Farnum has finished his work for O. E. Turner.

H. B. Jacobs is entertaining his mother, Mrs. Jacobs from Malden, Mass. Although she is eighty years of age, she has pared and sliced a nice large bag of apples to take with her, on her return home.

Harry Richards of Norway stayed from Saturday night till Monday night with Francis Sargent and family. Martha returned home with him.

Alton Jacobs is hauling their sweet corn to the factory and is also hauling Charles Hutchinson's.

Mr. James Turple called on friends in this section of late.

Adelbert Klader of Rumford is down looking after his orchard.

Oscar Turner, who has been a great sufferer with sciatic rheumatism, is very much better at this writing.

John and Percy Davenport, who have been picking corn for the Minot Packing Co., finished work for them Saturday.

Arthur Jacobs blistered his hand while cutting bushes the other day, took cold in it and is having quite a severe

time with it. He had his finger lanced and has had it dressed several times by a physician.

WELCHVILLE.

Rev. E. L. Farnsworth, who has been in New Hampshire during the summer, will return to Maine in a short time and will resume his pastoral duties in this place and in Oxford.

Miss Pauline Jordan and Miss Lunt are visiting at the Washburn house.

Mrs. George F. Hussey from Guilford, Maine has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway from Mechanic Falls was here Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Demond of Concord is visiting with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Bennett.

"The Hunters," as they are called, from Lynn are again at their camp in this place. They are in the habit of staying here a part of September of each year.

Mrs. George F. Hussey and the Misses Myra and Anne Belle Bennett, spent Sunday in Locke Mills, with their grandmother, Mrs. Ann P. Libby.

Adelbert Yeaton spent Saturday and Sunday in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and Edith Davis went to Norway Saturday, the 5th.

Miss Stella M. Bowker and George W. Stiles spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowker.

Miss Grace Warren has returned to Malden after her summer vacation in Welchville.

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